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MILITARY INSTALLATION
(52-59N 158-45E)
PETROPAVLOVSK-KAMCHATSKIY, KAMCHATSKAYA OBLAST, USSR
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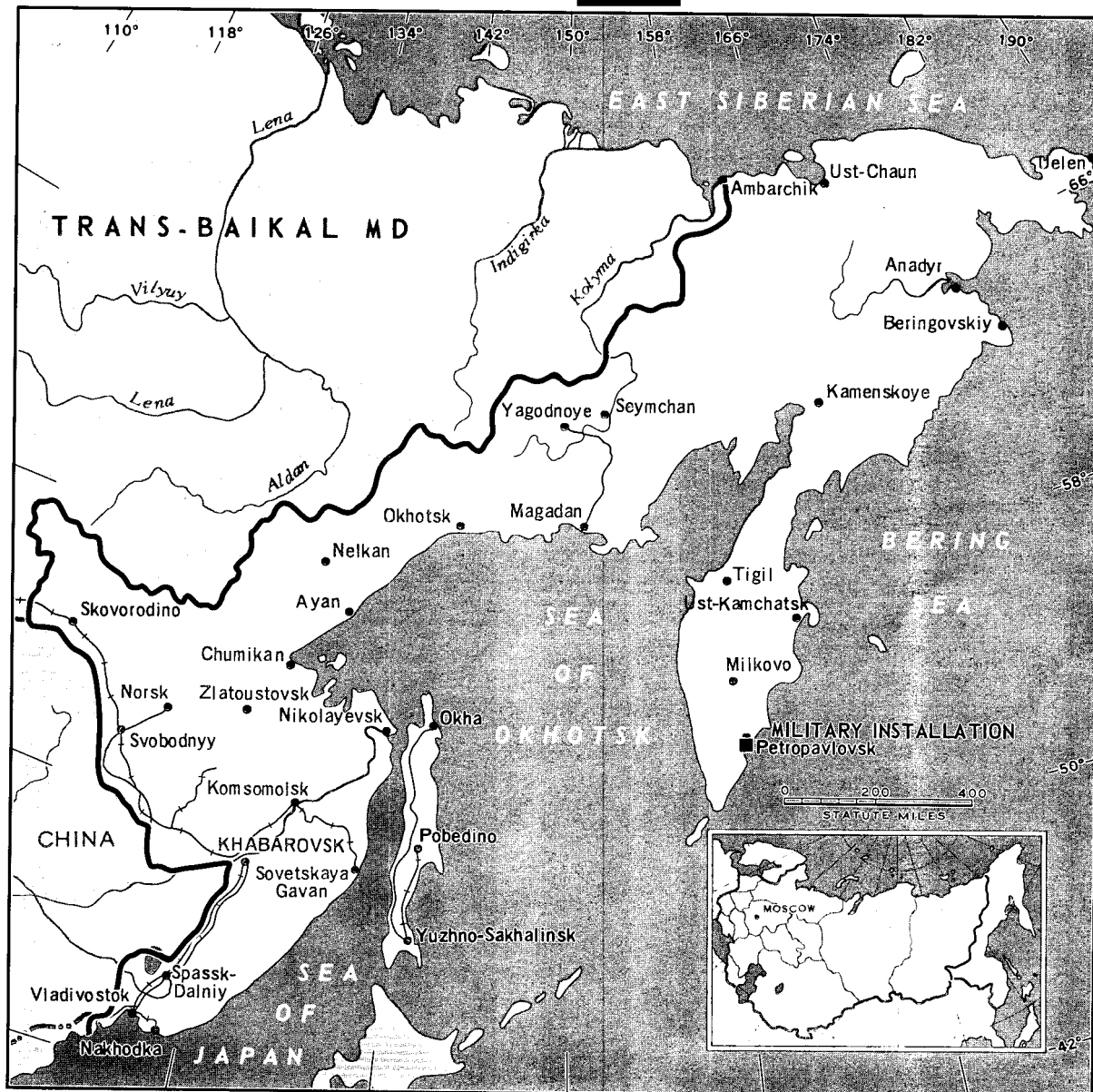


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY INSTALLATION.

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FIGURE 2. MILITARY INSTALLATION, PETROPAVLOVSK-KAMCHATSKIY, USSR

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SUMMARY

This military installation is 4 kilometers (km) southeast of Petropavlovsk Army Barracks and 10 km southeast of Petropavlovsk-Kamchatskiy (Figure 1).

The installation covers approximately 700 acres and contains 85 buildings, including 1 administration building, 4 probable barracks, 45 housing units, 2 storage buildings, 1 probable vehicle shed, 1 probable vehicle maintenance building, 28 support buildings, and 3 range control buildings. It also contains a motor park,

a small-arms firing range, a probable vehicle-mounted, automatic weapons firing range, and a tank/assault-gun firing range (Figures 2 and 3).

The installation was covered by KEYHOLE missions of interpretable quality between [REDACTED] Comparative analysis indicates that the installation was constructed prior to [REDACTED] The only significant change since this date has been a decrease in track activity at the training facilities.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

A secondary probable all-weather road connects the installation with Petropavlovsk Army Barracks and Petropavlovsk-Kamchatskiy.

Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 45 housing units (not shown in Figure 3).

Area D2 contains 1 administration building and 4 probable barracks.

General Storage Area

Area E contains 2 storage and 2 support buildings.

POL Storage Areas

Three POL storage areas are located in Petropavlovsk.

Other Buildings

Twenty-one support buildings are dispersed throughout the installation. Three range control buildings are located in Area N.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains 1 probable vehicle shed 340 by 40 feet, 1 probable vehicle maintenance building 140 by 40 feet, 1 motor park 640 by 400 feet, and 5 support buildings.

Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L is a 470- by 100-foot probable small-arms firing range and was first observed on [REDACTED] coverage. Subcaliber weapons may also be used here.

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Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Area N is a 2,200-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with, at the most, 3 lanes 1,500 feet long, and 1 probable moving-target run.

The target runs were present on initial coverage. The one probable moving target run was first observed on the [REDACTED] coverage. The level of track activity decreased from medium [REDACTED] to little or no activity [REDACTED]

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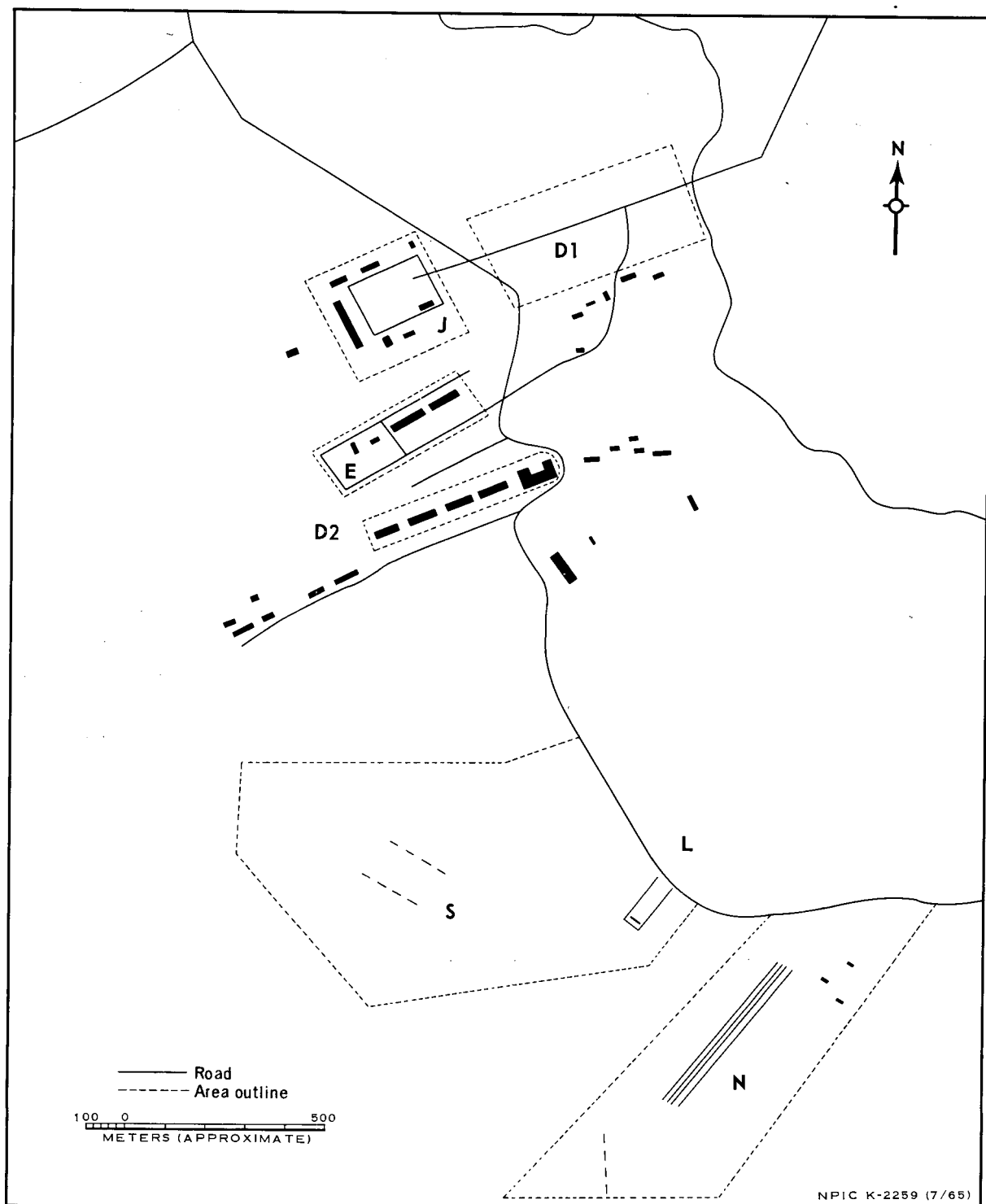


FIGURE 3. MILITARY INSTALLATION. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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Special Training Facilities

Area S contains a probable vehicle-mounted automatic weapons firing range. A vehicle loop was present on initial coverage. Two probable moving-target runs were first ob-

served on the [REDACTED] coverage. The distance from the static firing line to the farthest moving target run is approximately 1,850 feet. The level of activity has decreased from medium [REDACTED] to little or no activity [REDACTED]

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MAPS OR CHARTS

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REQUIREMENT

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NPIC PROJECT

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